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My object in this Esay, is to give a brief view The course, and symptoms of the cholera Infantum, and to mention those remedice that have been found most effectial in every the desease. His a circumstance no less melancholy than true, that many hundreds fall vections to this descare cach season. To be satisfied of this, it will only be necessary to ce amine the bills of mortality, published in the months of July, august and September the months in which this descuse commonly prevails, and we cannot but be sensely empressed with the formedable native of the complaint, whose varages are so great, and alarming. Why Jask is this falality? Is it because the name only and not the grade of the disease is heseribed for ? Or is it because the practitioner is

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not called somewough, and of course cannot allack the disease in its forming state or incipient state, at which time it might probably in all instances be overcome with very lettle trouble? As this descare has frequently been the subject of difsectations of this kind and as so excellent an account of els cause Leure has been given, by the venerable profe for of the practice, in the Universely of Pennsylvania, in one of his volumes, that a mere re - petetion of what has been already said, may pechaps seem superfluous; nevertheless there are one or two circumstances, which now and then occur in this dis ease, which I do not find taken notice of by any person who has given an account of the complaint, and which without being altended to by the practitioner, weld not be successfully treated. As no better history of its symptoms can be given than has been done in the

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work mentioned above by Do Rush, Thope I shall beer ceesed for taking this account of them from it in his own words. He says then That its frequency and danger are always in proportion to the hear of the weather. Haffeets cheldren from the feist or second wich after the bith, left they are two years old. Homeleines begins with a dianka, which continues for several days with out any other symptom of endisposition; but it more frequently comes on with a violent vomiting and pure - ging and a high fever. The matter discharged from the stomach and bowels is generally yellow or green. but the stools are sometimes steing and bloody without any teneture of bile. In some instances they are nearly aslumped as water. Worms are frequently discharged in each heird of the stools that has been described. The children in this stage of the disease appear to

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suffer a good deal of pain. They draw up their feet. and are never easy in one posture. The pulse is quick & weak. The head is unesually warm, while the extrem eties retain their natural head or inclinito be cold. The fever is of the remitting haid, and discovers evident exacerbations, especially in the evenings. The disease affects the head so much, as in some instances to produe symptoms not only of deleven, but of maria, mornich that the children throw their heads backrands and forwards, and sometimies make attempts to soratch and to bete their parents, newses, and even themselves . A sevelling frequently occurs in the abdomen, and in the face and lines. On enterise thust attends every stop of the disease. The eyes appear langued and hollow, and the children generally sleep with them half closed. Such is the insensibility of the system in some

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instances in this disease, that flies have been seen to alightupouthe eyes when open, without exceling a motion in the exclids to remove them? I saw a patient in this complaint, who was seeized with something like come every day about 3. O. Clock; its occurrence was prevented by large doses of castor oil and blides to the aukles. The Socior theu says sometimes the vomiting continues without the penging but more generally the pengeng continues without the vomiting Through the whole course of the descare. The stools are frequently large and extremely fetid, butin some in Hances they are without smell, and resemble durks and aliments which have been taken into the body. The descase is sometimes fatal in a few days . Tonce sawit carry of a child in four and twenty hours Its duration is varied by the season of the year, and by

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generally prevails in young children; now I suppose this system being more detribitated at this terrie of life and made more so by the unipe fruits of the season is particularly leable to take on disease. From the large quantity of bile generally discharged, it would appear that warm weather produced a more co. prious secretion of that flind, and probably also rendering it more acrid, which being poured into The intestines, produces the disagreculte symptoms mentioned above. Pen first object then should be to get rid of this superabundant quantity of bele. This is best effected by mild closes of Soular contie or sul-- phate of your given in very small quantities and repeated as occasion may require. Gentle punges should also be exhibited, but eave should be taken least the patient bec too much exhausted by them

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unnecessarily: the only object being to discharge the offending matter in the intestines. Cartor oil Ibelieve is the best medicine of this kind that can be given; there is however sometimes great difficulty in getting our little patients to take this medicine. We should then have recourse to calonal, rhubard, manus or some other cathactic of the hand. Elysters have done great service in this desease combined with a little landamen. When we are presuaded that the entaling contents of the bowch are discharged and the inflaminatory symptoms abouted we should then compare the stomach and bowels by means of a lettle landarum given in the eveloceous july; but frequently after the operation of the opinum and other medicines are over, it happens that the disease shows a disposition to return. In these cases the repetition of the operates should if necessary be continued

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time to the system, that it be not again thrown into morbid action. It bacton in his bectures, says, that the geranum maculatum has been used in this disease with advantage, at the same time observing that addition gents are too much neglected in this complaint; but the professor does not omit controving against the of them, and particularly the more stimulating ones, when there is much eight annatory deatheris present. The manner in which this medicine is prepared & colub ited is by boiling the root in mulk and let the patient take it ad libetum. I hush says he has found the greatest benefit from country on; on little patients The should, if it is practicable be ordered into the country when the season has arrived favourable to the production of beliows to then fevers and more particularly when the weather is very warm.

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